FWP COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

Meeting Date: May 10, 2012

Agenda Item: Annual and ARM rules for the Nonresident Deer Licenses Separated from Big Game

Combination Licenses

Division: Finance-Licensing Action Needed: Proposed Rule

Time Needed on Agenda for this Presentation: 10 Minutes

Background

The 1997 Legislature provided the commission the authority to separate a Class B-7 license from a Class B-10 license for the purpose of sound deer management. These licenses may be then sold as a B-11 nonresident deer combination license. With the passage of I-161, the requirement for the commission to set the fee for the variable priced outfitter sponsored nonresident big game or deer combination licenses was removed and the annual rule was no longer warranted.

Public Involvement Process & Results

Upon approval of proposing administrative rules, the proposed rules will be published for public comment.

Alternatives and Analysis

Since the annual rule for the sale of nonresident combination licenses is no longer required, rules are required to sell the separated deer licenses.

Agency Recommendation & Rationale

FWP recommends the commission propose annual and administrative rules for the nonresident deer licenses separated from big game combination licenses.

Proposed Motion

I move the commission propose annual and administrative rules for the nonresident deer licenses separated from big game combination licenses.